

PLACER COUNTY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT / RESOURCE AGENCY

Environmental Coordination Services

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NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY AND NOTICE OF PUBLIC SCOPING MEETING

Date: February 17, 2006

To: State Clearinghouse

Public Agencies Trustee Agencies Interested Parties

From: Placer County Community Development / Resource Agency

Environmental Coordination Services

Subject: Notice of Preparation of a Draft Environmental Assessment/ Environmental

Impact Report (EA/EIR) For the Tahoe Vista Partners LLC's Affordable Housing and Interval Ownership Development (Sandy Beach, Tahoe Vista)

Placer County and the Tahoe Regional Planning Agency (TRPA) will be the lead agencies and will prepare a joint document serving as an environmental assessment (EA) prepared in accordance with TRPA's Code of Ordinances, and an environmental impact report (EIR) prepared in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). We need to know your views as to the scope and content of the environmental information which is germane to your interests or statutory responsibilities in connection with the proposed project. If you represent an agency, your agency will need to use the EA/EIR prepared by Placer County and TRPA when considering your permit or other approvals for the project.

The Notice of Preparation (NOP) is available upon request from the Placer County Environmental Coordination Services located at 11414 B Avenue, Auburn, CA (530) 886-3000, at the Placer County Planning Department office located at 565 West Lake Boulevard, Tahoe City, CA (530) 581-6280, and is available online on Placer County's website at www.placer.ca.gov/planning (under Draft Environmental Documents). A copy is also available for review at the Kings Beach Library located at 301 Secline Street, Kings Beach, CA. If you receive this notice, you will also receive a Notice of Availability of the Draft Environmental Impact Report.

Public Scoping Meeting: The Placer County Planning Department will hold a Public Scoping Meeting in connection with the proposed project. The Scoping Meeting will be held to receive comments from the public and other interested parties and agencies regarding the issues that should be addressed in the Environmental Impact Report. The Scoping Meeting will be held on **Tuesday**, **February 28**, **2006 at 2:00 p.m. in the Pioneer Commerce Center**, **located at 10825 Pioneer Trail**, **Suite 105**, **Truckee**, **CA 96161**.

NOP Comment Period: Written comments are due no later than **March 22, 2006 by 5:00 p.m.** Please send your written comments to:

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Summary of Project Description: The proposed project would include 45 tourist accommodation units (TAUs) or fractional units, a clubhouse/administration building, and 10 affordable residential housing units on approximately 6.2 acres.

Project location: The project is located at 6873 North Lake Boulevard and is within the unincorporated portion of Placer County, California, in the Tahoe Vista area. The site is located approximately 250 feet north of Lake Tahoe and less than one-quarter mile west of the intersection of California State Route (SR 28) and National Avenue. (See attached exhibits)